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PATENT
Attorney's Docket No. 1232-4458

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : K. SEKIGUCHI :
Serial No. : 09/123,145 : Group Art Unit: 2622
Filed : July 27, 1998 : Examiner: J. Pokrzywa
For : COMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND COMMUNICATION APPARATUS
BUILDING THE SYSTEM

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

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Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing a Rule 1.116 Amendment in response to the Office Action dated June 19, 2001.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested
[X] is filed herewith.
[] has been filed on _____.
3. [] Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status. Small Entity Statement is attached []. Statement has already been filed. [].

4.		<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Other than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
	a. []	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
	b. []	two months	\$400.00	\$200.00
	c. [X]	three months	\$920.00	\$460.00
	d. []	four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00
	e. []	five months	\$1,960.00	\$980.00

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- f. ☐ An extension for ____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$ ____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ ____), minus the fee previously paid (\$ ____) equals \$ ____ (total fee due).
5. ☐ A check in the amount of ____ cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4503. Order No. 1232-4458. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4503. Order No. 1232-4458. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: December 19, 2001

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